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FROM COMMERCIAL COUNSELOR

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SUBJECT: BRAZILIAN UTILIZATION OF GSP

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1. ON APRIL 25 THE AMERICAN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE FOR BRAZIL, SAO PAULO, WILL HOLD ITS THIRD ANNUAL EXPORT WORKSHOP. PARTICIPANTS IN THIS ALL-DAY SEMINAR WILL INCLUDE EMBASSY AND CONGEN REPS, GOB OFFICIALS, BRAZILIAN ACADEMICS, AND LEADING US AND BRAZILIAN BUSINESSMEN. A ONE-HOUR SESSION WILL BE DEVOTED TO A DISCUSSION OF THE US GENERALIZED SYSTEM OF PREFERENCES AS IT APPLIES TO BRAZIL. FOR THIS OCCASION IT WOULD BE EXTREMELY USEFUL TO HAVE AN ANALYSIS OF BRAZIL'S UTILIZATION OF GSP DURING 1978, SIMILAR TO THE 1977 ANALYSIS WHICH WAS POUCHED TO US FROM THE DEPARTMENT A YEAR AGO.

2. IF AVAILABLE, WE WOULD LIKE TO HAVE FIGURES, WITH COMPARISONS WITH 1977 AND 1976, ON A TOTAL BRAZILIAN USE OF GSP, THE TREND OF THE MAJOR PRODUCTS, AND US IMPORTS FROM BRAZIL OF GSP PRODUCTS FOR WHICH GSP ELIGIBILITY WAS NOT CLAIMED. IT WOULD ALSO BE USEFUL TO HAVE A SUMMARY OF BRAZILIAN PRODUCTS RECENTLY ADDED TO OR REMOVED FROM THE ELIGIBILITY LIST: THE  
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DEPARTMENT'S SUGGESTIONS AS TO POINTS TO EMPHASIZE WOULD BE MOST WELCOME.  
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